IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Sue FENG et al.) Group Art Unit: 1619
Application No.: 10/699,780) Examiner: VENKAT, J.
Date Filed: November 4, 2003	Confirmation No.: 5902
For: METHODS OF PROVIDING INTENSE COLOR TO COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS USING AT LEAST ONE HETEROPOLYMER (AS AMENDED))) <u>VIA EFS WEB</u>)))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action dated August 18, 2009, the shortened statutory period ending November 18, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.

Remarks begin at page 3 of this paper.

Attachments:

- Exhibit 1 Expert Report of Robert Lochhead, Ph.D., submitted on December 15, 2006, in L'Oréal S.A. v. Estée Lauder Co., Civil Action No. 04-1660 (HAA) (D.N.J. filed Apr. 7, 2004):
- Exhibit 2 Letter from the Cosmetic Toiletry and Fragrance Association ("CFTA") dated December 14. 1999:
- Exhibit 3 Information Relevant to the Use and Availability of UNICLEAR 80/100;
- Exhibit 4 International Cosmetic Ingredient Dictionary and Handbook ("CTFA") 9th ed., p. 1654 (2002);
- Exhibit 5 Copy of Assignment filed with the USPTO on November 18, 2009, which assigns U.S. Application No. 10/203,374, which issued as U.S. Patent No. 7,023,552, to L'Oréal S.A.: and
- Exhibit 6 Six (6) Sets of Claims from Co-Pending Applications